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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT (37 CFR 1.121)

Legal Instruments Examiner
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Dear Sir or Madam:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed November 23, 2004 (copy enclosed), attached please find an edited copy of the IN THE CLAIMS section (namely pages 2-5) of the Amendment originally submitted on September 27, 2004. The captions "(Original)" have been added to those claims which were not amended.

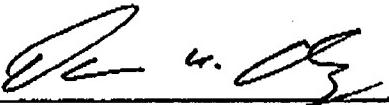
It is believed no fee is due for this response, however, if the Examiner disagrees, please charge Deposit Account No. 19-2179. Please charge this deposit account, at any time during the pendency of this application, for any additional fees required, or credit any overpayment, pursuant to 37 CFR §1.25.

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Respectfully requested,

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